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MEMORANDUM FOR: ALL OPERATING DIVISIONS AND BRANCHES

SUBJECT: PP STAFF STUDY "SOME LESSONS OF THE HUNGARIAN  
REVOLUTION"

1. Subject study is forwarded to you for three principal reasons:

- a. to provide a tentative "working hypothesis" for the interpretation of the Hungarian events, of possible use for our operational planning against the Soviet Orbit;
- b. to suggest certain intelligence collection and analysis needs resulting from these events;
- c. to offer some background for the propagandistic exploitation of the Hungarian revolution.

2. This study is a "thinkpiece" and does not necessarily reflect official Agency policy. The reasons for its "tentative" character are explained in the text of the paper. Please address any comments, inquiries or requests for additional copies to: PP Staff/Operations Division/Plans and Review Branch, Room 2404 K, Extensions

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